21 Cornhill, Boston,

March 11th 1859.

Dear Burleigh;

The Exec. Comtee. of the Am. A.S. Soc'y. today voted to request you to write up the Ann. Report to May 1859; and to pay, as for your previous, the sum of Fifty Dollars; with the view of having it completed for publication with the previous matter you shall furnish. To that end, there ~~should~~ should be no needs delay. I wrote to you, on this subject, 2 or 3 days since; and expressed in detail what I thought we should desire on that ~~that~~ point. —

Give us sufficient notice

of your coming, to read
your Reports to May '58.
We shall effect you among
the first april days, at
the latest; & can be ready
any time at a few days'
notice. In great haste

S. May Jr

Bundle of books rec'd by yr
I hope. —

MAY, SAMUEL, 1797-1871